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Ms. Margaret Crenshaw Secretary Postal Rate Commission 1333 H Street, N.W. Suite 300 Washington, D.C. 20268-0001

Re: Docket No. RM98-3, General Review of the Rules of Practice

Dear Ms. Crenshaw:

The Newspaper Association of America has reviewed the rules recently proposed by the Commission in this proceeding. See Order No. 1274 (released Dec. 17, 1999). NAA appreciates the extensive effort by this Commission in this proceeding, and believes that the proposed revisions are reasonable and appropriate.

Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions.

Best regards.

Very truly yours,

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